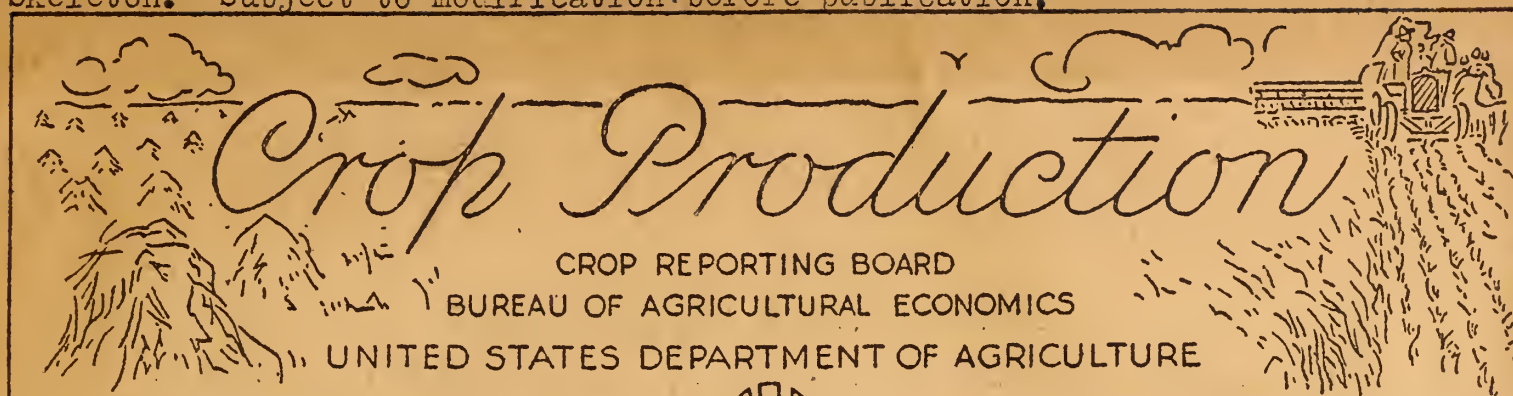


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The Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics makes the following report for the United States from data furnished by crop correspondents, field statisticians, and cooperating State agencies.

GRAIN AND HAY STOCKS ON FARMS

CROP	Jan. 1 average 1939-48		January 1, 1949		January 1, 1950	
	Percent	1,000	Percent	1,000	Percent	1,000
	1/	Bushels	1/	Bushels	1/	bushels
Corn for grain..						
Wheat.....						
Oats.....						
Barley.....	2/	2/				
Rye.....	2/	2/				
Soybeans.....	2/	2/				
Hay.....		3/		3/		3/

COMPARATIVE DATA FOR PREVIOUS QUARTERS

CROP	Oct. 1, 1948	Apr. 1, 1949	July 1, 1949	Oct. 1, 1949
	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.
Corn for grain..	114,035			
Wheat.....				
Oats.....				
Barley.....				
Rye.....				
Soybeans.....	1,838			
	May 1	May 1,	May 1,	May 1,
	Average 1949-48	1947	1948	1949
Hay.....	3/	3/ 15,974	3/ 15,128	3/

1/ Percent of preceding crop. 2/ Short-time average. 3/ 1,000 tons.

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CROP PRODUCTION, JANUARY 1, 1950

CROP	CITRUS FRUIT PRODUCTION ^{1/}			
	Average	1947	1948	Indicated
	1938-47			1949
	Thousand boxes			
Oranges and Tangerines.	97,123	114,510	104,020	
Grapefruit.....	50,528	61,630	45,520	
Lemons.....	13,164	12,870	9,930	

MONTHLY MILK AND EGG PRODUCTION						
MONTH	MILK			EGGS		
	Average	1948	1949	Average	1948	1949
	1938-47			1938-47		
	Million pounds			Millions		
November.....	7,960	8,031	8,392	2,560	3,456	3,851
December.....	8,174	8,215		3,003	4,008	
Jan. - Dec. Incl.....	115,231	115,511		48,614	55,168	

^{1/} Season begins with the bloom of the year shown and ends with the completion of harvest the following year.

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